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In re the Application of

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Application No.: 09/501,663

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For: ELECTRONIC CAMERA HAVING CONDUCTIVE ELASTIC BODY PROVIDED FOR SHIELD PLATE

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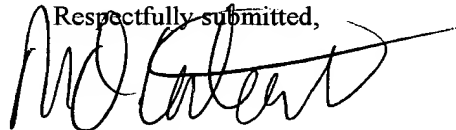
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